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COUNTRY	East Germany	REPORT	
TOPIC	Werneuchen Airfield	616916	
EVALUATION	PLACE OBTAINED		
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REMARKS			
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1. Between 28 and 30 December 1953 and again on 4, 6, and 7 January 1954, between 10 a.m. and 8 p.m., there was air activity by Po-2s at Werneuchen airfield. The aircraft practiced take-offs, landings and short local individual flights. Not more than three Po-2s were observed aloft at any one time. Between 28 December 1953 and 3 February 1954, no jet aircraft were observed at the field. <sup>1</sup>
- 2/ During January, the AA gun emplacements in the southwestern and northwestern sections of the field were unoccupied. The AA gun emplacement in the southern section of the field could not be observed. <sup>2</sup>
3. During the period from 28 December 1953 to 10 January 1954, no supply shipments were observed arriving or leaving the field. The following incoming and outgoing shipments were identified between 10 January and 3 February:

Date in January	Number of Railroad Cars and Cargo	From	To
22	10 gondola cars with 188 tons of briquettes	Beutersitz	Unit Shtirov
23	3 gondola cars with 42 tons of briquettes		
24	1 boxcar with horses	Werneuchen (Red Army)	Kapen (Red Army)
31	1 boxcar with flour	Finsterwalde (Red Army)	Werneuchen (Red Army)

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1. Comment. Werneuchen airfield is not occupied by an air unit. The Po-2s which have previously been observed practicing in Werneuchen belong to a nearby airfield, probably Finow airfield. These aircraft evidently use Werneuchen airfield for training purposes.
2. Comment. It is believed that the AA gun emplacements will remain unoccupied so long as no air unit is stationed at the field. An AA unit, however, is located in Werneuchen.
3. Comment. Unit Shtirov has previously been reported but has not yet been identified.

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